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WILLIMANTIC

While watching the parade of the Franco-American Societies which was held here Tuesday morning, Christine of Mr. and Mrs. August Giracca of 54 Meadow street, dropped dead on the wall of the model school, at seven mirutes of twelve.

She was in the second grade, had been dismissed at 11.45 as usual, and was waiting, with several other childeren for the parade, standing on the wall. When the band had passed, the child toppled over backwards on the grass and it was thought at first that the parade broke ranks and fanned her with his hat, trying to bring her to. Dr. Simonds was called but when he arrived, the girl was dead. Before the doctor arrived, she was carried into the office of Miss Mirlam Skidmore, who is in charge of the Normal School girls training at the model school.

Governor's Regrets.

The afternoon convention was open-ed by Chairman Alexis Caisse and the first business was the reading of a communication from Governor Holocomb, regretting his absence from the convention, as affairs of state interfered.

Welcomed by Mayor.

Mayor D. P. Dunn, the first speaker, complimented the French on their loy-alty. During his speech the pricats to the convention and said that the city was theirs as long as they were here. He declared that Willimantic would extend as cordial hospitality, as any city.

Other speakers.

Other speakers in order were: President of the executive committee, Allain; Rev. Charles F. Bedard of Putnam, and Rev. Father Chartier of Hartford.

The following officers were elected for this convention: A. Caisse, Willi-

Medical Examiner Marsh of Hamp-on was called and after viewing the ody, pronounced death due to heart liation, probably due to overexcite-

The little girl had been a pupil at the school for three years, entering in the kindergarten. She was not over strong and it is said was subject to

FRANCO-AMERICAN DELEGATES CONTINUE CONVENTION

Held Tuesday-Mayor Dunn Extends Welcome to City-Other Speakers-Election of Officers.

The first session of the convention f Franco-American Societies was eld at St. Mary's hall at 2.30 Tues-av with about 100 delegates in at-

There was to be a morning session t the solema high mass which the legates attended at St. Mary's church in the morning was so long that it was impossible to hold more than one session. The mass began at 15 o'clock. Rev. J. J. Papillon was the celebrant and during the service spe-dal musical selections were given. After the mass the delegates formed



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Christine Giracoa, 7, Teppied Over on Grass While Standing Near the Model School.

In line in front of the church and paraded in this order: Marshal, Xavier Gaissa, American band, Council Florimond, Sacred Heart League, Union St. Jean Baptiste, delegates to convention.

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Officers Elected.

The following officers were elected for this convention: A. Caisse, Willimantic, president; E. Ledoux, Hartford, vice president; H. Dion, Willimantic, second, vice president; A. Chagnon, Willimantic, secretary; C. D. Margret, Hartford, assistant secretary; P. Bouliane, Danielson, treasurer; X. Caisse, Willimantic, first sergeant of arms; R. Couture, Taftville, second sergeant of arms; resolutions committee, Dr. A. O. Baribault, New Haven; Dr. Larue, Pufnam; A. Roy, New Britain.

ROLL CALL TODAY

After the roll call, the men will be dismissed and will not have to report only to take the 10.10 train for Plainfield. At Plainfield they will have dinner, tickets for the dinner being supplied by the government. James Cochrane of this city, an ex-member of the national guard, will command the men until they reach Camp Devens.

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The special train containing the men from Hartford and vicinity will be red in this city, and the meals will be supplied by Carl Knappert. The food will be contained in lunch boxes, Each box will probably contain one ham and one tongue sandwich, pickles, packe and fruit. Coffee will also be given, and plans are made for 50 gallons of the drink to be made Thursday morning. The lunches will be made fresh Thursday morning in Providence because the local restaurant has not the facilities for the large number, orders stating that 761 are to come on the special train. The Providence man will bring extra help and the local man will have several extra helpers, although they will go even as far as Worcester, if need be, in order to give the food that the men need.

Tonight's Banquet.

Tonight's Banquet. The menu for the banquet which will be given by the Red Cross at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Wednesday evening will be as follows:

Mashed Potatoes Hot Rolls Fancy Cakes Cheese Ice Cream Crackers

Coffee

Ran Into Pole. Ran Into Pole.

To avoid hitting a team on Columbia road, Monday evening, an automobile, whose owner was not identified, made too sharp a corner and landed up against a telegraph pole. One of the occupants was thrown through the windshield and the other went through the top. The car was badly damaged and after removing the numbers and all other means of identification, they had local men tow the car to their garage for repairs.

Carleton King Enlists. The latest enlistment of Willimanvice is Carleton King, who enlisted Monday at Hartford in the regular army. He was assigned to the quar-termaster's department where he is especially fitted scince he studied

NEVER BOTHERED SINCE

After suffering with terrible pains in his back and around his kidneys for eight years, and after having tried several doctors and different medicines, Alvis Souers, Ade, Ind., writes: "Foley Kidney Pills were recommended to me and the first bottle removed the pain. After taking three bottles the bloating was all gone and has never bothered me since." When relief can be had so quickly why not banish backache, rheumatic pains, stiff and swollen joints caused by disordered kidneys? Lee & Osgood Co.



To Be Held at Town Hall—Arrangements Completed for Feeding Troops
Coming Through William I Tisdall, a widow of Menter Coming Through William I Town Henry Tisdall is now serving in the British army. Edward is with the Canadian Through William I Tisdall thirty-eight years old; John Tisdall, thirty-eight years old; John Tisdall, thirty-four years old; Mark A. Tisdall, thirty-four years old; William Ottway Tisdall at the town half at 5.30 this (Wednesday) afternoon. The alternates will also answer the roll call. The men from the vicinity of Plain-field will answer the roll call in Moosup.

Mrs. William J. Tisdall, a widow of Henry Tisdall is now serving in the British army. Edward is with the Canadians and Victor is in England with the Scots Canadians. Mark is also a member of a British regiment. Travers is a member of a British regiment. Travers is a member of a British regiment of Engineers in the American army. John and William are also with the American forces. The photograph shows Mrs. William J. Tisdall, twenty-five years old; J. Tisdall and her grandsome looking over some of the pictures of her boys.

Sophomores Organize.

Committed to Norwich State Hospital James L. Salkins, 33, was committed to the Norwich State Hospital on Tuesday, following an examination by Drs. White and Parker, who found that he was mentally unbalanced.

Steeple Tom at South Coventry.

FAREWELL PARTY FOR EUGENE T. CAMPBELL

Presented Wrist Watch at Family Gathering-Among Those Leaving Thursday.

Eugene T. Campbell of this city, one of the boys to leave next Thursday for Camp Devens, was the guest of Honor at a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larrow at their new home in North Windham, Tuesday evening.

The affair was purely a family affair, only close relatives of the young man being present. During the evening he was presented with a wrist watch, one of the necessities in military life which is not supplied by the government. At the close of the evening, refreshments consisting of sandwiches, ice cream and cake and cocoa were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Larrow, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larrow and George Polly of North Windham and Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Campbell and Eugene

FRENCH CANADIAN MUSICAL

AT OPERA HOUSE Program Given in French-Suppe Served by Local Chapter.

The musical, given at the Opera House, Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Federation of the French Canadian Societies, Council Florimond, was well attended by local French people and the delegates of the Franco-American Societies, All of the speaking and addresses were in the French language. The program he French language. The program was as follows:

ction by the Hickey-Helmold orchestra. Address of Welcome by Alphonse Chagnon, president.

Comic songs and monologues by M.
T. Prince, accompanied by Miss D. P.

T. Prince, accompanied by Miss D. P. Comois.

Address, "The Catholic Apostolat and Parochial Schools," Elie Vezina, secretary general of the Federation of the French Canadian Societies.

Trombone solo by Archille Gaudreau Selection by the orchestra.

Song by M. T. Prince.

Violin selection by Miss Marie Rose Blanchette, accompanied by Miss Albina Blanchette.

Address, "The French Language and Naturalization," by Joseph Lussier, Fditor of La Justice of Holyoke, Mass. Slection by the orchestra.

After the entertainment at the Opera House the deleggates and invited guests adjourned to the rooms of the Guard Florimond society on Center street, where a bountiful banquet was served under the auspices of the Ladles' Auxiliary of the society. Durings the evening an orchestra played several selections.

Brief Mention.

Joseph Gaudreau, a member of the first regiment band is in this city for a three days' visit.

A false alarm of one stroke was rung in Tuesday afternoon, caused by workmen, working on the new system.

Miss Scaver, mathematics teacher at the High school, has returned from her home where she has been staying

JEWETT CITY

Whole Town Enthuses Over Send-off Demonstration Tonight-Boys to be Given Dinner at Hotel-Auto Parade Ashland Team to Play Hartford Ea.

The sophomores at Windham High school held their first meeting Tuesday afternoon in the assembly hall and the following officers were elected: President, Albert Bowen; vice president, Miss Sarah Abbe; secretary, Miss Elizabeth Flynn; treasurer, Giles Thomas, members of the athletic council, Miss Emma Callouette and Albert Paulhus.

The question of faculty member was next discussed but was not decided because of a misunderstanding so the matter was postponed until the next The whole town is interested in the because of a misunderstanding so the matter was postponed until the next meeting.

The monthly dues were fixed at 15 cents a month and appropriations for the school organizations were as follows: Athletic council \$5, Die Besserung \$3. nue and East Main; Mrs. Earl Montgomery, Brown avenue and upper
Main street; Mrs. E. H. Hiscox, Soule
street and Railroad avenue; Mrs. W.
T. Crumb, Tracy avenue and School
street; Mrs. Alice Babcock, Ashland
Hill; Miss Alice Blair, Aspinook
street; general solicitors, L. M. Carpenter, H. C. Webster, J. H. Shea, R.
W. Dearnley and Fred Menard.
L. M. Carpenter has arranged for

Steeple Tom Fitzpatrick and his assistant, Leslie Flippen are repairing the steeple of the South Coventry at 7 o'clock. All the guests are to Congregational church which was damaged by lightning.

an automobile parade to leave the correct form of Main street and Slater avenue at 7 o'clock. All the guests are to ride in this procession. Hon. A. M. Erown will act as master of cere-

OBITUARY John Cotter.

John Cotter.

John Cotter died in Backus hospital Monday afternoon after a long illness. Mr. Cotter was born Aug. 1, 1860, in County Cork, Ireland. He was the son of Mary Hourigan and Richard Cotter. He married Bridget Brennan June 11, 1882, in Norwich, the ceremony being performed in St. Patrick's church by Rev. P. P. Shahan.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters, the Misses Julia, Margaret and Josie, of Jewett City, and four sons, Richard of Hartford, John F. and William J. of Norwich, and James of Derby.

Low water pressure Thursday, 8-12 Low water pressure Thursday, 8-12 a. m., 2-4 p. m.—adv.

Attended Banquet. George Leyden and Frank Dwyer were among the party who motored to The Mohican in New London to attend the farewell banquet Monday

Rev. O. S. Sargent is a guest at G. H. Prior's during this week. Mid-week Meetings Omitted. There will be no services in the Methodist and Congregational church-

To Deliver Address. Rev. Albert Donnell left Tuesday afternoon to spend the remainder of the week in Johnson, Vt. He is to deliver an address at Thursday evening at the church centennial. To Play Eagles.

For this week's game Manager Carpenter has slated the Eagles of Hartford to oppose the Ashland club on Ashland Park. The Eagles are without doubt the fastest team that has appeared here this season. They come here with a record of having lost but two games out of twenty-seven, having played none but the fastest teams in the state. This team visoted the State Hospital twice this season and returned to Hartford both times with victories. The same team defeated the fast Poli team of Hartford in two games and also the fast South Manchester team in two games. What they will do against Van Dyke is a question. At any rate the local boys will have to travel some if they want to win.

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COLCHESTER

Drafted: Louis Elgart, Dwight Mar-vin, Edward Driscoll, James Shugrue, Jeremiah D. Shea, John Driscoll, Frank Gayeski, John J. Shea, Charles The Belley Malley Staves Fred B. M. Bailey, Adelbert Stevens, Fred B. Clark, Andrew Klaiwatha, Edgar A. Carrier, Harry Levine, George M. Case, Florry J. O'Connor.

Given Rousing Reception. Following was the programme car-ried out at the reception for the selected men:

lected men:

7 p. m.—The line of march was formed at Grange hall and proceeded over the following route: Norwich avenue to South Main street, down South Main street to Hall's Hill avenue, countermarch; march to Broadway, down Broadway to residence of F. G. Bock, coutnermarch to Lebanon avenue, down Lebanon avenue to rafferoad station, countermarch to Hayward avenue, to Norwich avenue, to the hall.

Order of march:

Stafford Springs.—Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Sanford and Mr. and Mrs. Anders Jacobsen are taking an automobile trip through the Adirondacks.

Fair Haven.—Catches of some big turtles up the river near Red Bank, Fair Haven, are reported. Some of the turtles weighed forty pounds.

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8 p. m .-- In Grange hall, overture b the band; five minutes' speeches, Rev. B. D. Remington, Rev. H. A. Blake, Rev. Fathers Joseph Ford and Otto Bannister; address, Hon. E. S. Day.

9 p. m.—Reception to National Army men, followed by light refreshments.

Houses Illuminated. Nearly every house on the line of march was illuminated and flags were displayed. A large number of friends and relatives of the men from out of town were present.

Jewish New Year. The Jewish New Year's celebration In the synagogue and continued until Tuesday night. All the Jewish places of business were closed. Julius Cohen, who enlisted in the U.S. navy, is at his home for a short

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Portland.-The Portland Comfort Bag club distributed comfort bags to the drafted men who are to leave on Thursday, the 20th, at the town hall Monday night.

Deep River.—Monday, September 24 has been selected as the date for the exhibit of garden products raised by the pupils of the local schools. The exhibit will be held in the town half during the afternoon.

Middletown,—Chauncey W. Brooks, of the Haddam road, brought to the city Monday three stalks of white dent corn, grown for stock feeding, that measured 16 feet all, with ears 10 feet from the butt.

ed. Mr. White and his wife and femily have left New Britain and it is said they are now in Brooklyn, N. Y. where Mr. White is working at an occupation he followed before entering the ministry.

New Haven.—By an agreement the American Anti-Vivisection society will day, by the Salvation Army resulted in the raising of nearly \$870 by the Hartford division, more than one-half of the late Grace M. Fogg of this city, and Helen M. Clark, a sister of Mrs. Fogg, who was cut off in the will, will eceive \$15,150.

Deep River.—Tuesday evening a public demonstration was planned for the conscripted young men of the town who are to leave for Camp Deven, Ayer, Mass., on Thursday. The programme as laid by the town committee of the State Council of Defense included a parade, followed by a patriotic programme in the hall.

Fair Haven.—Catches of some big turtles up the river near Red Bank, Faft Haven, are reported. Some of the turtles weighed forty pounds.

Hartford.—It is reported that the gas pressure is low in some parts of Hartford because, between the cold and the canning, so much extra gas has been used.

Middletown.—Sixty doctors of Middlesex county were present at the banquet tendered recently by the Medical Practitioners of the county, in honor of Lieutenants Frederick B. Bradeen. Essex, Harold L. Burr, city, Charles B. Chedel, Portland, Arthur B. Coleburn, city, Leonard J. Loewe, Higgan and the canning, so much extra gas has been used.

Kent Lindstredt of Greenwich, a graduate of the dental department of ment. Collections are to be taken to the University of Pepusylvania. making the purchases.

> Rockland—A number of coal pits are now being burned at Rockland. As many of the people do not know the process of making charceal it is quite New Britain. - Elder Edward F.

White of the Second Advent church has tendered his resignation to the church board and it has been accepted. Mr. White and his wife and fam

of this sum being raised, however, through letters sent out by the Army on Friday. The amount secured through the letters was \$400, and by selling the fifty buttons on the streets This makes a total

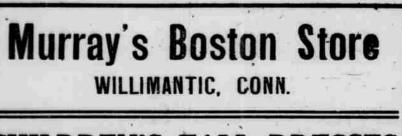
Wallingford.—Just 18 names shy of the number they wished to attain, the various individuals who have been orking on the petitions for a vote on the license question on election day this fall early Monday evening gave up the attempt which had almost en-abled them to reach the goal. The pa-tition was handed to the own clerk at

6 o'clock. Waterbury—Miss Margaret Goodwin, the new head of the Girls' club, has arrived from Portsmouth, N. H. While the teaching staff for the club whis year has been arranged, work will not

been used.

Noroton. — Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Franklin Purdy of Noroton announce
the engagement of their daughter, Miss
Dorothy May Purdy, to Dr. Theodore

New Britain.—Arrangements have been made at Trinity Methodist and the South Congregational churches whereby young men who were members of the churches before being callbers of the churches before being callgear has been arranged, work will not start until the second week in October, due to the length of time which for the coming year, and also to the fact that all of the teachers have not yet arrived.



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